## \*U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

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Ma Co P.C	dress to: nil Stop RCE mmissioner for D. Box 1450 exandria, VA 22	I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop:RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on  Date: 2/21/06  Signature: R. Haman					
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	X Amendment Information Drawing C	stitute the submissint after Final maile n Disclosure States Changes mission:	ed January 10 ment		R. § 1.114(a	) and is at	ttached:
1.	The fee bel Amendmer	Tee for this RCE and ow is calculated bant/submission. The previously entered	ased on the s fee for any	tatus of the c new addition	laims after al claims is	the entry included	of the attached
		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA*	RATE (\$) PER CLAIM	FEE (\$)
	BASIC FEE						790.00
	TOTAL CLAIMS	11		20	0	50.00	0.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6		6	0	200.00	00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					360.00	
		,			Number extra must be zero or larger	TOTAL	790.00
If Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9  SMALL ENTITY and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.  TOTAL							00

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- Please charge the required RCE and submission filing fee of \$790.00 to the 2, deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, deposit account number 11-0600.
- Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time for responding to the 3. Final Office Action of October 20, 2005, resetting the response date to February 20, 2006. Please charge the \$120.00 one-month extension of time fee and any other fee that may be required to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon. deposit Account No. 11-0600.
- A duplicate of this transmittal form is enclosed. 4.

Respectfully submitted,

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